IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Appeal No: Unassigned

In re the Application of: Eiji HAMAMOTO et al.

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Customer Number: 38834

## REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 25, 2005

Sir:

Appellants hereby request an oral hearing. This paper is being timely filed because July 24, 2005 was a Sunday.

A check in the amount of \$1,000.00 for the corresponding fee under 37 C.F.R. §41.20 (b)(3) is attached to this paper.

In the event this paper is not timely filed, appellants petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for any such extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-2866, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this paper.

Respectfully submitted,

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